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# **Provision of Resident Medical Officers**

East Kent Hospitals University NHS Foundation Trust

F02: Contract notice

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# **Section I: Contracting authority**

# I.1) Name and addresses

East Kent Hospitals University NHS Foundation Trust

Trust Headquarters, Kent and Canterbury Hospital, Ethelbert Road

Canterbury

CT1 3NG

#### **Email**

neil.baigent@nhs.net

### Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### **NUTS** code

UKJ44 - East Kent

### Internet address(es)

Main address

### https://www.ekhuft.nhs.uk/

# I.3) Communication

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at

https://commercialsolutions.bravosolution.co.uk/

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

https://commercialsolutions.bravosolution.co.uk/

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted to the above-mentioned address

# I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

# I.5) Main activity

Health

# **Section II: Object**

# II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Provision of Resident Medical Officers

Reference number

**TEKH1108** 

### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 79625000 - Supply services of medical personnel

### II.1.3) Type of contract

#### Services

### II.1.4) Short description

The provision of fully vetted, high-quality Resident Medical Officers ('RMOs') to East Kent Hospitals University NHS Foundation Trust ('the Trust').

### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

### II.2) Description

### II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 85141000 - Services provided by medical personnel

### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

UKJ44 - East Kent

Main site or place of performance

East Kent Hospitals University NHS Foundation Trust's premises and locations as stated in the procurement documents

### II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The Trust is seeking to appoint a suitably experienced provider of fully vetted, high-quality Resident Medical Officers ('RMOs') to seamlessly provide 24/7/365 RMO cover (on a rotational fixed shift basis) across its three acute hospital sites at:

- 1) Kent and Canterbury Hospital ('KCH'), Canterbury, CT1 3NG.
- 2) William Harvey Hospital ('WHH'), Ashford, TN24 0LZ.
- 3) Queen Elizabeth, the Queen Mother Hospital ('QEQM'), Margate, CT9 4AN.

The Trust expects:

- the RMOs provided to be an integral part of the team responsible for the provision of safe practice to patients on a routine and emergency basis.

- the provider to meet all statutory regulations, and all other reasonable standards, applicable to the provision of RMOs to the NHS, including the provision of standby RMOs.

RMOs shall be required in accordance with the needs of the Trust, as amended from time to time during the Contract term.

### II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

### II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system

Duration in months

24

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

At the Authority's sole discretion, the Contract may be extended by up to a further three (3) x 12-month extensions, with the contract term not exceeding five (5) years in total.

### II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: Yes

### II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

### II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

# Section III. Legal, economic, financial and technical information

# III.1) Conditions for participation

# III.1.1) Suitability to pursue the professional activity, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers

List and brief description of conditions

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents.

### III.1.2) Economic and financial standing

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

#### III.1.3) Technical and professional ability

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

### III.2) Conditions related to the contract

### III.2.2) Contract performance conditions

As stated in the procurement documents.

#### III.2.3) Information about staff responsible for the performance of the contract

Obligation to indicate the names and professional qualifications of the staff assigned to performing the contract

### Section IV. Procedure

# **IV.1) Description**

#### IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Open procedure

Accelerated procedure

Justification:

Prior information notice published on 4th August 2021

### IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

### IV.2) Administrative information

### IV.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure

Notice number: <u>2021/S 000-018830</u>

### IV.2.2) Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate

Date

1 October 2021

Local time

12:00pm

### IV.2.4) Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted

English

### IV.2.6) Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender

Duration in months: 3 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

### IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

1 October 2021

Local time

12:01pm

# **Section VI. Complementary information**

# VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

# VI.2) Information about electronic workflows

Electronic invoicing will be accepted

Electronic payment will be used

# VI.3) Additional information

Suitably experienced providers wishing to bid for this opportunity must submit their Tender response via the Trust's e-Tendering system, Bravo Solution, website address: https://commercialsolutions.bravosolution.co.uk

Instructions for submitting your Tender are as follows:

- a) click 'View current opportunities and notices'
- b) express an interest in the project ITT\_3869 Provision of Resident Medical Officers.
- c) accurately complete and fully submit your Tender within the e-Tendering system by no later than 12:00 noon on Friday, 1st October 2021.

# VI.4) Procedures for review

#### VI.4.1) Review body

East Kent Hospitals University NHS Foundation Trust

Trust Headquarters, Kent and Canterbury Hospital, Ethelbert Road

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**United Kingdom**